

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takashi MIYAZAWA

Group Art Unit: 2629

Application No.: 10/773,410

Examiner: V. SHANKAR

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Docket No.: 118374

For: METHOD OF DRIVING ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE AND ELECTRONIC
APPARATUS

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

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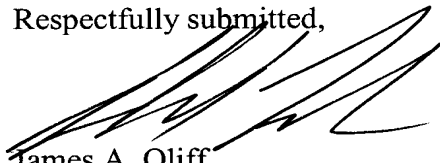
Applicant appreciates the courtesies extended to Applicant's representative by Examiner Shankar during the telephone interview conducted on August 11, 2008. Applicant's separate record of the substance of the telephone interview is detailed below.

Applicant graciously appreciates the allowance of the above-captioned application.

Applicant's representative contacted Examiner Shankar on August 11, 2008 to inquire as to whether the Amendment filed on April 24, 2008 had been considered in its entirety. Specifically, Applicant's representative inquired as to whether Applicant's arguments substantively distinguishing the presently claimed combination of features from U.S. Patent No. 6,858,991 (hereinafter "Miyazawa") and the publications of each of the Japanese patent applications from which Miyazawa claims priority (hereinafter "Japanese publications") were considered even though Miyazawa (the only applied reference) fails to qualify as prior art against the above-captioned application.

Examiner Shankar confirmed, during the August 11, 2008 telephone conference, that although Miyazawa does not qualify as prior art against the above-captioned application, the arguments presented in the April 24, 2008 Amendment substantively distinguishing the claimed subject matter from Miyazawa and the Japanese publications were considered and deemed persuasive.

Respectfully submitted,



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